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Summer Dullness at Last Fades Away and Better BusinessShowsUp

MANY SMALL SALES. BRIGHT OUTLOOK

Richmond Investors Acquire Vacant Property at Westbrook. Handsome Grace Street Home Changes Hands. Noticeable Activity in the Beautiful Suburbs.

a good, substantial business week, a bulk of the deals that were commated being homes and home sites the smaller order in the city and t in the suburbs, the latter being s more active.

However, some pretty good sized als that have been hanging on the ling for quite a while dropped off in a consummation basket. Probably the most interesting deal of the week is the sale made by Green & Redd the handsome residence. No. 104 sts Grace Street, which was formerthe home of Thomas Rutherfoord, d is one of the three nice resinces that were edected in that block are ago by the late James Thomas. years ago by the late James Thomas. The sale was made for Mrs. M. L. Gray, and Charles B. Richardson, the general agent for Virginia of the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company, was the purchaser, the sum paid being \$19,000 cash. Mr. Richardson will make extensive improvements and repairs and occupy the residence as his Richmond home.

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Another interesting deal that has long swing in the air involves valuable surburban property. Something like a year ago Mr. Miller, a New York man with a big bank account, bought the Westbrook property from the Ginter estate, and after selling the residence and a considerable part of the surrounding land, cut the remainder up into lots, and in a vague way put the subdivisions on the market. He has now, after much negotiating and much dangling of the string, sold the subdivision property as a whole, Z. H. Harwood and James T. Sloan becoming the purchasers. It is understood that semeithing more than \$35,000 was the price paid. It is also understood that in due time Messrs. Harwood and Sloan will be offering this superb property to would-be owners of large and airy suburban homes.

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A Few Sample Deals.
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has been noticeable since the summer dull times.

Besides disposing of a goodly bit of city and suburban property they engineered the sale of two small farms during the week, one in Henrico and the other in Hanover county. In all, their sales footed up nearly \$25,000.

Numbers of other agencies, in fact, all of them have been doing business, and all agree that the outlook is very fine, but enough has been given as samples to show that the long complained of dull season has reached the end and the up-hill movement has commenced.

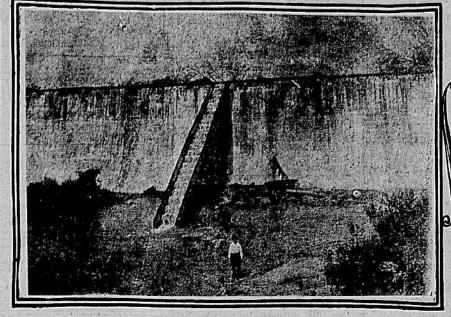
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Avendale and Its Attractions.

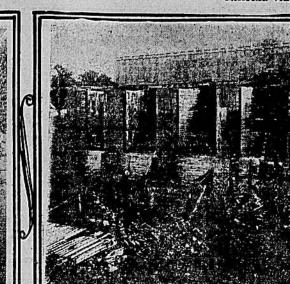
The suburbs were the first to feel the effects of new fall business and renewed activity, and the handlers of this class of property have been very busy showing the goods to inquirers and many of them in making quick

Lewis Ginter by John T. Howe, for the Avondale Land Company. The company will subdivide this property into large lots and put them on the market immediately. This property, in such a high state of development, will doubtless find ready buyers among those wishing a beautiful location out-side the city, with water, sewerage and electric car service.

EMPORIA'S GREAT POWER DEVELOPED



THE BIG DAM AND FISH LADDER



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BEST OF FARMING TO-DAY'S DEMAND

Virginia Plowers and Sowers Can Beat the World if They Will.

MODERN METHODS TAUGHT

A B C and the X Y Z of Demon stration Work-Oft-Told Facts Revamped.

BY FRANK 5. WOODSON, Industrial Editor,

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The demonstration The demon for them to get it if it is a good thing. While you may have commenced at the very A B C of the good work and fully explained it up to the ... Y Z, thousands of farmers, not then being as much interested in the subject as they now are, read after you carelessly, and I think it will do good just at this time if you will go over it again as briefly as you can.

Very truly yours,

SOUTHWEST VIRGINIA FARMER,
It is true, as my friend intimates, that a great deal has been published in the Industrial Section about this demonstration work and its good results.

the effects of new fall business and renewed activity, and the handlers of this class of propenty have been very busy showing the goods to inquirers and many of them in making quick sales.

One of the largest transactions of the week was the purchase of the clegant Westlawn property formerly owned by the estate of the late Major Lewis Ginter by John T. Howe, for the Avondale Land Company. The company will subdivide this property into large lots and put them on the market immediately. This property, in such a high state of development, will doubtless find ready buyers among those wishing a beautiful location outside the city, with water, sewerage and lature.

Alms and Objects in Views

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Affy Norwood.

Since the opening of Norwood, the new addition to Barton Heights, which was put on the market just about a month ago, more than \$30.000 of the property has been sold, all the dwellings being purchased by actual settlers who will move in as soon as they are enjirely completed. The purchasers are well known people and will be a desirable acquisition to the social and professional life on the Heights. They are James W. Carr. Mrs. Alma de Milhau, who has already moved in C. R. Nuckols, Frank Cook, Dr. Allen W. Freeman, L. R. Spencer, C. P. Carter.

The above sales include between (Continued on Third Page.)

NORTH END VIEW OF DAM

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The instruction given for the first
year mainly refers to the method of
making a larger and more profitable
crop at a reduced cost of production,
and consists of four lessons called
"the primary lessons"—First, the best
seedhed and how to make it; second,
the best seed of its variety and how
to obtain it; third, frequent and mainly shallow cultivation of the crop,
and how and why; fourth, the u- or
better teams and tools to secure more
economic production.
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The principal defects in the seed bed for farm crops in the South are shallow breaking (plowing), failure to fully pulverize the soil before planting, insufficient humus in the soil, and defective drainage. Such a seedbed can never produce maximum crops, It carries insufficient moisture for periods of drought and has an excess under heavy precipitation. During most of the period of growth the plants are insufficiently nourished, either from inability to obtain sufficient food through lack of moisture or a too diluted nourishment through excess of moisture. The result is a small crop. The simple remedy is deeper breaking in the fall, thorough use of plowing and subsolling, plowing under green crops at frequent periods and the improvement of the drainage by difference rities. ditches or tiles.

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Seeds, and How to Get Them.

Prior to the commencement of the demonstration. Avork, the average farmer in the South gave little attention to seed safection. Corn, for instance, was called in the spring from the orb without testing. The result was a poor stand—a condition that can rarely be remedied.

The demonstration work requires

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greater return for their toil than heretofore. This work shows also that there is no necessity for the general deterioration of farms and the too common poverty of the rural masses. Briefly stated, the salient features of the rural lessons given by the farm demonstration work are as foilows: WEATHER FAVORABLE FOR TOBACCO CROP FOR TOBACCO CROPS

Injury by Rain Not So Great as Feared-Receipts and Sales in Bright Belt Are Increasing Gradually.

the traders to tell about the transactions.

Tuesday and Friday of this week will be sales days at the warehouses if any stoccomes in for sale.

Big Sales at Lynchburg, [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Lynchburg, Va. September 17. The sale of orlmings on the Lynchburg tobacco market his week has broken all records in the memory of the columns on men for high prices. inis week has broken all records in the memory of the tobacco men for high prices, for twice during the week the average for the day has been \$1.50 per 160 pounds.

The sales Friday aggregated 35,000 pounds, and the average was \$3.90. On Wednesday the breaks aggregated 40,000 pounds, with exactly the same average. These prices compared with last year, make a spiendid showing for the market. This week the sales have aggregated 110,000 pounds at an average of \$3.85 per 100 pounds. The average price paid/for the same kind of tobacco the same week last year was \$2.57 per 100 pounds or \$1.25 per 100 pounds. The average price paid/for the same kind of tobacco the same week last year was \$2.57 per 100 pounds, or \$1.25 per 100 more than what was regarded as a fair price in 1969.

The demand for this low grade of tobacco is good, and the farmers are beginning to realize that a great mistake was made in not saving more of the tobacco as it was pulled off of the growing crop and thrown back on the land as a fertilizer.

Tobacco Report from Banville.

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Tohacea Report from Danville.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Danville, Va. September 17.—The sales continue small and mainly of primings. The proportion of leaf tobacco on the breaks increased slightly. The farmers are in the midst of cutting and curing the crop, and large ceptits are not expected until this work in the past several days there has been very cool weather, which would indicate an early frost, and no doubt farmers from the case of the count.

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The market in redried tobacco is rather found the count few sales are being made from time to time.

The Rocky Mount Tobacco Market.

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[Special to The Times Dispatch.]

Rocky Mount N. C., Splember 17.—The receipts of leaf tobacco were on the inprease this week amounting to nearly 500,
Wo pounds. The offerings consisted largely it lips and the better

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Washington, N. C. September 17.—Washington, N. C. September 17.—Washington's tobacco market is proving a great success, and the daily sales are rapidly increasing from day to-day. Thursday and Friday were both record-breakers for a new market. Thursday the sales were 1,800 pounds, at an average price of 5c.
The tobacco being brought to this city by the farmers from all over this section of the State is of exceptionally good grade and is bringing good prices. Judging from the way in which the tobacco is pouring into this city Washington's new tobacco market is already an assured success.

Representatives of Chase City, Ciarksville and Other Towns to Meet Finley.
President Finley, of the Southern
Railway, will meet a large gathering
of business men in Chase City on
Tuesday next to discuss with them
the propriety of improving the passenger train service between Richmond and Durham, N. C., via the Southern line from this city to Keysville.
And thence over the Keysville-Durham,
Raleigh line as far as Durham, if not
on to Raleigh. The meeting will be
under the auspices of the Business
Men's Club, of Chase City, of which R,
D. Patterson is the president, and representatives will be in attendance from
the Boards of Trade of Keysville,
Clarksville, Oxford, Durham and Raleigh and from the Chamber of Conmerce of Richmond. The meeting will
probably result in the attension of
the accommodation train which now
operates from Richmond to Mosley, or
it may result in the adding of an
entirely new train between Richmond
and Raleigh. In any event it will be
a great accommodation to the people
of Keysville, Chase City, Clarksville,
Oxford and Durham and intermediate
points.

TIME EXTENDED.

Southern States and Cities Should Follow Lead of the Northern Sections.

FOSTER CHICKEN INDUSTRY

short Lecture on Shows and How to Run Them-The State Fair.

What we need in Virginia and broughout the Southern States is betmmbers of the present corporation in the New England States and in New York. New Jersey and Pennsylvania, there are scores of chicken men who have, and are now, making fortunes running large poultry plants. Most of these men gataried on the bottom rung of the present of the present of the present of the present of a high scale and forced it; through with their money alone. To cut it short, the "hen mannia love dupon up North just the same and or the larger cities the authorities into the larger cities the authorities into the larger cities the authorities into most but sive them a scale of their armories for their armores of the larger cities the authorities into most but sive them a scale of their armories for their armores of their armories for their armores to the larger cities the authorities into use of their armories for their armores to the larger cities the authorities in only give the poultry associations in the scale of their armories for their armores to the larger cities the authorities in our larger cities the authorities in our larger cities the authorities in the use of their armories for their armores for their a

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GREAT FEAST DAY FOR BUSYEMPORIA

Completion of Immense Water-Power to Be Celebrated in Style.

MEHERRIN RIVER WELL HARNESSED

Electric Power to Run All the Machinery Now in the Place, and Much More That May Come-An Object Lesson for Other Live

BY FRANK S. WOODSON,
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